

Charlie's Beat

Kathy Ayers leaves bluesy BBQ mark on music legacy

By CHARLIE ROHLFING

How did Kathy Ayers become director of Ribberfest BBQ and Blues festival? It was a kind of an out-of-body experience.

Sixteen years ago she was at a board meeting of the old Convention and Visitors Bureau. The CVB had started Ribberfest one year earlier at the urging of then-Mayor Al Huntington, with encouragement from Dr. Dave Butler and Rocky Harrell.

According to Kathy, "We were informed at the meeting that Ribberfest needed a new director. All of sudden I heard someone say 'I'll do it' and all heads turned towards



Kathy Ayers

THIS WEEK IN MUSIC

Thursday, January 10:

Rembrandt's Wine Bar — Yvonne Davis (6 p.m.)  
Off Broadway Taproom — Danny Lee Anderson

Friday, January 11:

Off Broadway Taproom — Flatland Harmony Experiment  
RiverBoat Inn — Bill Lackner

Saturday, January 12:

Off Broadway Taproom — LLC  
VFW — Matthew Barringer  
Thomas Family Winery — Mike Oberst (Pajama Party)

RiverBoat Inn — Bill Lackner

Sunday, January 13:

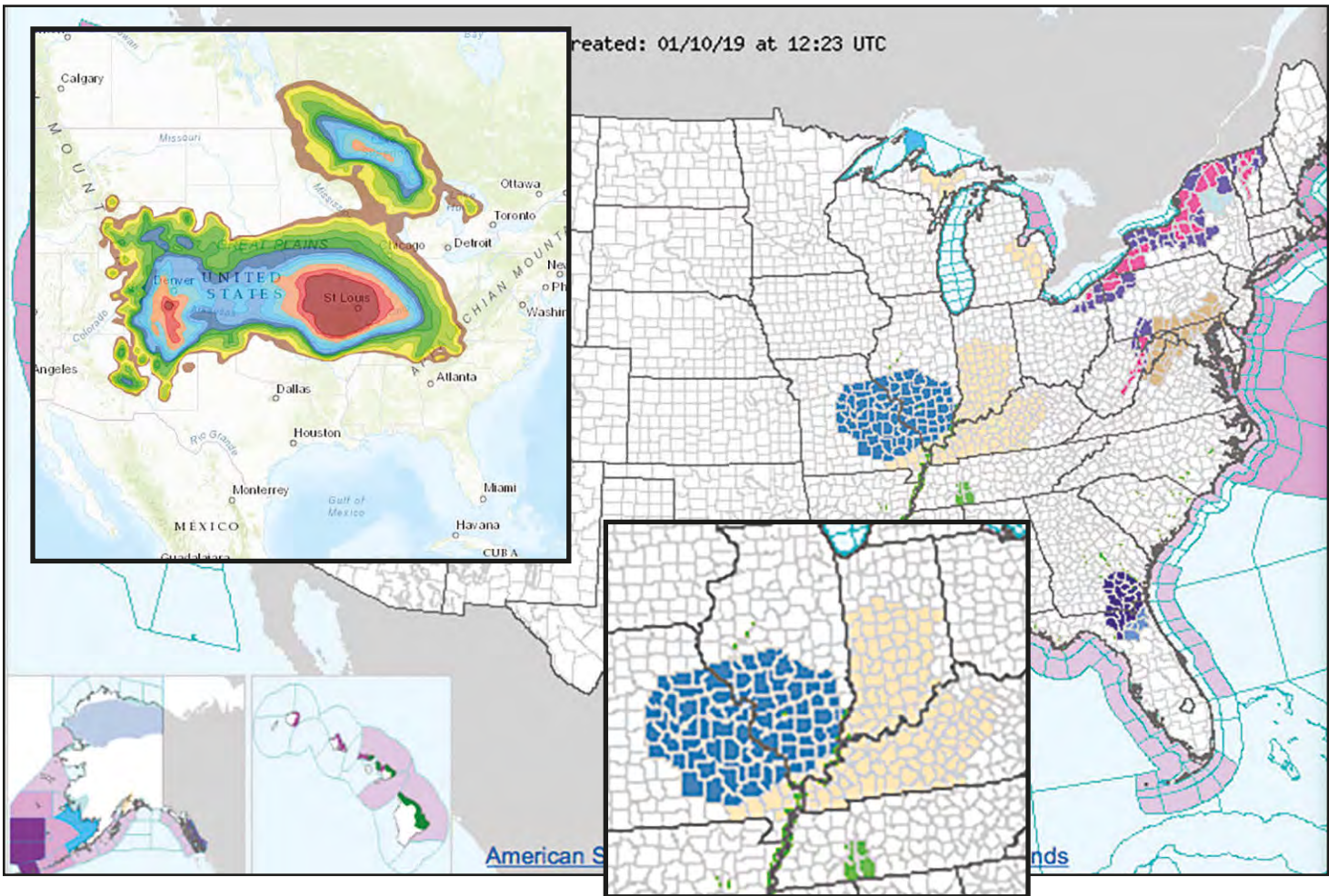
Off Broadway Taproom — Darryl Hewitt

Tuesday, January 15:

Off Broadway Taproom — Buck Thrifty (L.A. based band)

Will it or won't it?

Not yet clear what the weather patterns coming together will mean for area



Courier staff report

"A very tricky forecast this morning" are the words used by the National Weather Service in Louisville on its hazardous weather forecast for the next few days.

The hazardous weather outlook, for portions of south central Indiana and Central Kentucky, said no hazardous weather is expected today and tonight.

What happens in the days ahead is a little less clear. A complex slow-moving low pressure system passing through the region this weekend will bring a mix of rain and snow to parts of the Ohio Valley Friday night through Monday morning, the Weather Service said, noting that it's "too early to confidently give specifics with regards to snowfall amounts, accumulating snow does look possible especially for southern Indiana and north central Kentucky."

The forecast did say that temperatures will be very chilly today, with highs struggling to get above the freezing mark in many locations. Skies should remain mostly clear overnight, and with very dry air in place and light winds near the surface, temperatures will plummet overnight into the lower 20s and upper teens.

Friday still looks like a dry day, the report said, but Friday night into Saturday will see widespread clouds and precipitation beginning Friday night. The weather trough is expected to gradually change its geographical orientation from nearly north-south Friday to more east-west

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Local brewers not affected by shutdown of U.S. agency

Madison Courier staff, Associated Press

While some breweries, wineries and distilleries across Indiana and Michigan are experiencing delays in label production because the agency that issues permits is hung up in the partial U.S. government shutdown, Madison's two breweries are not feeling the impact.

Mad Paddle Brewery's owner Jerry Wade said his recently-opened company is not being affected.

"When you develop a new design, it has to be submitted for approval...this would draw a halt to your beer can being approved," Wade explained. "There will be tons of labels that will not be approved."

"For Mad Paddle, there are zero issues for now."

Wade said that since he is selling beer primarily in-house — not canned in the liquor stores — the slowdown does not affect them. "If you were applying for your permit — let's say a two-month process — if they're not working, that would delay the permit."

Wade's company filed its newest release, a brew they've called, "'Some Came Hopping,' Hazy Kiwi IPA" — a tribute to the film "Some Came Running" produced in Madison in the 1950s — early enough for its release today. Wade said that if the company had waited to file for approval until now, with the hope of the product's release in one month, there would be a hold-up.

The North Madison Brewing Company said it has not entered the stage of submitting product designs for approvals yet, so the shutdown will not affect the soon-to-open brewery on Madison's hilltop.

The Alcohol and Tobacco Tax and Trade Bureau issues permits that allow businesses to open, craft a new beer or wine, or create labeling for a product. That agency is now closed.

Some businesses have delayed opening while they wait for permits from the agency. Jason McKeever has been waiting to launch City Wineworks in Peru, Indiana, since he signed a building lease in September. The business has the permits to make and sell beer, but it's still waiting on permits to make and sell wine.

"It's extremely frustrating, because our money going out doesn't stop," McKeever said. "We still have to pay our lease and utility bills. But there's no money coming in. It's a little stressful — and a lot scary."

Others business owners have delayed launching new recipes as they wait for formulas to be approved. Jack Sramek, the head brewer at Tin Man Brewing in Kokomo, Indiana, planned to test new beers featuring hibiscus and hemp.

"If it keeps up like this, it looks like we won't be able to make it for a while. I'll just have to keep this in my back pocket and wait to brew them," Sramek said.

And once the bureau re-opens, there will likely be a backlog of applications to be processed, which has businesses owners worried, including Jeff Lemon, a partner at Lemon Creek Winery in Berrien Springs, Michigan.

"They're already somewhat short-handed," Lemon said. "There's been a lot of new wineries and breweries, not just in Michigan but across the country. I think they've been pretty maxed out with their staff and this obviously is going to get them behind a little more."

The now third longest shutdown in U.S. history started Dec. 21 after President Donald Trump refused to sign a bill that would have fully funded the government because it didn't include \$5.7 million for a border wall.

Kentucky lawmakers unveil school safety plan

FRANKFORT (AP) — A statewide school-safety measure touted as the Kentucky legislature's top priority this year was unveiled on Wednesday, nearly a year after two students were killed in a shooting at a rural high school in the state.

The legislation calls for hiring a state school security marshal to bolster oversight of school-safety efforts by local school districts. The measure also sets a state goal of putting more school resource officers and mental health professionals in schools as deterrents to school violence, but only as soon as funding becomes available. But the measure's backers said it would create a framework as an important first step to bolster safety in Kentucky's schools.

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8 forecast tools to use this winter

The National Oceanic and Atmospheric Administration has eight winter weather forecast tools for mobile devices or computer to see where, when and how much snow, ice and wind is predicted.

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# Evansville educator picked as Indiana education board leader

## Indiana

INDIANAPOLIS — An educator from Evansville is the State Board of Education’s new leader, replacing the Republican schools superintendent who stepped down, citing conflicts with the state’s education governance system. Board members voted Wednesday to elect B.J. Watts as its chairman. He replaces Jennifer McCormick, who announced in October that she would not try to remain as board chairwoman or seek re-election as superintendent in 2020. Watts is an Evansville Vanderburgh School Corp. administrator and was an Evansville City Council member before being appointed to the state board by former Gov. Mike Pence. Legislative Republicans plan to change the superintendent position to one appointed by the governor effective in 2021. Legislators had passed a law making it an appointed position starting in 2025 after policy conflicts with former Democratic Superintendent Glenda Ritz.

## Holcomb administration releasing proposal

INDIANAPOLIS — Gov. Eric Holcomb’s administration is releasing its recommendations for the new state budget, including how much more money could go toward public schools. Holcomb administration officials are scheduled to make their presentation Thursday to the State Budget Committee. State fiscal analysts project tax revenues will grow by about 2.5 percent each year for the new two-year budget starting in July. But much of that money is expected to go toward allowing the state’s troubled Department of Child Services to keep hundreds of new caseworkers added over the last few years and an expected jump in state costs for the Medicaid program for low-income families. Holcomb and fellow Republicans want to protect the state’s \$1.8 billion budget surplus, which Democrats suggest should be tapped to boost teacher pay.

## Hospitals start temp visitor restrictions

INDIANAPOLIS — Indianapolis hospitals are among those in the state imposing temporary restrictions on visitors to try to curb the spread of flu. The Marion County Public Health Department says the hospitals of all major health systems in the county have agreed to begin visitor restrictions no later than Friday. The restrictions include no visitors with symptoms of influenza, no visitors under the age of 18, and visitors limited to immediate family as identified by the patient. Individuals

who are at the highest risk for experiencing complications of influenza include children younger than 2 and adults older than 65. The affected hospitals include the Richard Roudebush V.A. Medical Center. Hospitals in Anderson and Elwood imposed similar restrictions on Wednesday. The Indiana State Department of Health says flu activity is widespread across the state.

## Barge salvage work begins at dam

CLARKSVILLE — An official says salvage crews have begun unloading coal from nine barges stuck on the Ohio River’s McAlpine Dam. Shawn Kenney is assistant locks and dams operations manager for the Army Corps of Engineers in Louisville. He says the unloading began Wednesday morning and likely will take weeks for crews to salvage the barges. Kenney told the News and Tribune that once the coal is unloaded, crews will remove the two barges still afloat and lift seven sunken barges. A tow line pushing 15 loaded coal barges hit the Clark Memorial Bridge Dec. 25, causing all barges to break free. Six of the freed barges were recovered, but nine remain on the dam. Each barge holds 1,500 to 1,800 tons of coal.

## Mold work forcing IU students off campus

BLOOMINGTON — Indiana University officials say more than 1,000 upperclassmen will be forced to live off campus next school year because of renovation work to prevent recent mold problems from returning to two residence halls. Those projects will make more than 2,000 beds unavailable at the Foster and McNutt residence halls, where mold was a problem last fall. Although that mold was removed, school officials moved the renovation work up by two years because the buildings’ old mechanical systems would likely have allowed mold to return. The Herald-Times reports that IU has enough space in other residence halls for next school year’s freshman class, but some upperclassmen will have to live off campus. IU spokesman Chuck Carney says the school has contracted with three off-campus apartment complexes to house the affected upperclassmen.

## Girl dies after truck strikes house

LIBERTY — Police say an 11-year-old girl died over the weekend when the pickup truck she was riding in struck

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a house. Union County Sheriff Dale Dishmond says the girl was dead at the scene after Saturday’s crash near the county seat of Liberty. Her name was not released. The (Richmond) Palladium-Item reports that a 3-year-old boy who was also a passenger was treated at a local hospital. Police say the Brookville man who was driving the pickup truck lost control of the vehicle before it traveled over an embankment and crashed into a house about 65 miles east of Indianapolis. The man was ejected from the vehicle through a bedroom window of the house.

## County widens ban on discharge of firearms

CROWN POINT — Officials are widening a ban on the discharge of firearms in parts of the county despite protests from gun owners. The Lake County Council voted 5-2 on Tuesday to amend its ban on shooting near neighboring homes, enlarging the exclusion zone to 700 feet in unincorporated county areas. The council said the zone wouldn’t apply to hunters during hunting season and it wouldn’t apply if gun owners get signed permission from their neighbors. More than 150 people turned out in opposition to tighter restrictions and booed after the first of several votes on the proposed changes. Some say it would unfairly affect residents in the southern portion of the county who previously could conduct target practice on certain land.

## Officer fires gun at end of car chase

GOSHEN — Authorities say an officer fired his gun at the end of a car chase after an attempted traffic stop. The chase started Wednesday night after police tried to stop a motorist in Goshen. During the chase, police say the car averaged speeds of 30 mph to 40 mph. Police used stop sticks to flatten the car’s tires before the chase ended. The driver was taken to a hospital with injuries that were described as non-life-threatening, but it wasn’t immediately clear whether the Goshen man was shot or injured in another way. The man is expected to face a charge of resisting arrest. The officer involved in the shooting has been placed on paid administrative pending the outcome of an investigation.

## 2017 Texas slaying suspect caught in Gary

GARY — Authorities say

a suspect in the New Year’s Eve 2017 shooting death of a woman in Texas has been captured in northwestern Indiana. The U.S. Marshals’ Great Lakes Regional Fugitive Task Force says it took Dwight Patrick Scott, 52, into custody Tuesday in Gary after a tip he was at a home there. An arrest warrant for Scott was signed by a Texas judge in January 2018 that included a charge of murder in the death of Tracy Lynn Reedy, 50. Authorities said they had lived together in Kilgore, Texas, and she was shot during an argument outside her apartment. Authorities in Indiana had earlier been looking for Scott, since he was believed to have ties to the Gary area. Scott is jailed and likely will be extradited to Texas.

## Kentucky

## Panel sets hearing for election challenge

FRANKFORT — Kentucky lawmakers have scheduled a hearing later this month to decide what to do about a former Republican lawmaker who lost his re-election effort by one vote and has challenged the results. Democrat Jim Glenn defeated former Republican state Rep. DJ Johnson in November by one vote. The Kentucky State Board of Elections certified Glenn as the winner after local election officials double-checked the totals from voting machines. But Johnson has asked the Republican-controlled House of Representatives to conduct a recount. Tuesday, lawmakers held a random drawing and appointed a board of six Republicans and three Democrats to hear Johnson’s challenge. Wednesday, the board agreed to hold a hearing at 9 a.m. Jan. 23. Any decision by the board must be approved by the full House.

## Feedback sought on utility rate hike plan

FRANKFORT — The Public Service Commission is asking for feedback on two proposed utility rate increases. The commission said it would conduct a public meeting Jan. 24 at

Dixie Heights High School in Edgewood to disseminate information and get feedback about both proposals. One is a request from Duke Energy Kentucky to increase its rates for delivery of natural gas. The other is a request by the Northern Kentucky Water District for a general rate increase. Duke Kentucky’s request would add about \$5.78 to the typical residential customer’s average monthly bill, according to the company’s application. The water district is asking to increase residential rates by 11 percent over two years, which would total about \$3.84 per month for a typical residential customer. Formal hearings in the cases are scheduled in February in Frankfort.

## Police: Armored truck driver fled with cash

LOUISVILLE — Police say an armored truck driver fled with a “large amount” of cash taken from the truck while he was working. Louisville police and the FBI are searching for Mark Nicholas Espinosa, 29, who disappeared in Louisville on Dec. 5. Investigators would not say how much money was taken from the truck, which is owned by Garda World, a security company. Federal officials have issued a warrant for Espinosa’s arrest, and the FBI is offering a \$10,000 reward for information that leads to Espinosa’s arrest. The armored truck company is offering a \$50,000 reward. Louisville police said Wednesday they believe Espinosa planned the heist. An FBI bulletin says Espinosa is 5 feet 10 inches and weighs around 230 pounds. He has a large scar on his right arm.

## 1 coal-mining death reported in 2018

LEXINGTON — The U.S. Mine Safety and Health Administration says coal-mining related deaths have reached a record low in Kentucky where a single miner died last year. The Lexington Herald-Leader reports the agency said Tuesday that there were 12 deaths at coal mines nationwide in 2018. Federal records and investigators say Hubert Grubbs Jr., 29, died in March when he was caught in an underground conveyor

belt at a mine near Cumberland. The agency says there were 27 fatalities nationwide at all mines in 2018, including those at facilities such as rock quarries. It says that is the second-lowest number of mining deaths ever. Forty-eight mining deaths were recorded nationwide in 2010 when 29 people died in a West Virginia mine explosion. In 2016, there was a low of eight coal-mining deaths.

## Park offers tours of migrating cranes

LUCAS — A park is offering tours to view sandhill cranes as they stop in the state on their journey home. The Kentucky Tourism Arts and Heritage Cabinet says Barren River Lake State Resort Park is offering the tours Jan. 23-27. The statement says participants are allowed to get close to the birds as they migrate through the area. Tours are led by naturalists from the Kentucky Department of Parks and participants have the option of taking a sunrise or sunset trip. Registration is required and the fee varies based on age. Tours include transportation, education sessions, a box lunch and a long-sleeved T-shirt.

## Teacher pleads not guilty to assault

GREENUP — A teacher seen on video dragging an elementary school student has pleaded not guilty to a misdemeanor assault charge. WSAZ-TV reports Greenup County teacher Trina Abrams appeared in court Wednesday. Kentucky State Police Trooper David Boarman told the Lexington Herald-Leader that Abrams is accused of dragging a 9-year-old boy by his wrists in the October video. Angel Nelson says the dragging sprained her son’s wrists. She says the boy has limited speech, and has been diagnosed with autism and other disorders. The Greenup County School District says the teacher no longer teaches at Wurtland Elementary School. Superintendent Sherry Horsley told WSAZ-TV on Monday that the incident was reported to police, Child Protective Services and the Kentucky Education Professional Standards Board.

— The Associated Press



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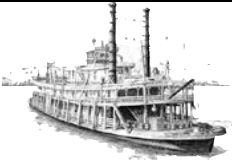


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See Charlie's Beat, Page A1 for popular music offerings this weekend

EVENTS

**Blood Drive for Andy:** In honor of Andrew Bloos, this blood drive will start at 2:30 p.m. on Jan. 10 at the Madison Area Chamber of Commerce.

**Pajamas and Candlelight:** Join the Thomas Family Winery for an evening of cards and games by candlelight and music by Mike Oberst from 7 p.m. to 10 p.m. Come dressed in your favorite pajamas and bring along any board games or card games that you enjoy. The winery will have vintage games and heated euchre matches.

THEATER

**Love, Sex and the I.R.S.:** To save money, two out-of-work male musicians have been filing their tax returns as a married couple. Everything is great until the I.R.S. Shows up! A wild and side-splitting comedy chock full of sight gags, twists of fate, and mistaken identities. The Derby Dinner Playhouse will perform this musical from Jan. 9 through Feb. 17. For more information, call (812) 288-8281 or go to [www.derbydinner.com](http://www.derbydinner.com)

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# Stan Lee's fans can mourn him at memorial

LOS ANGELES (AP) — Stan Lee's devoted fans will have a chance to mourn him alongside his friends, family and co-creators at a memorial in Hollywood on Jan. 30, organizers announced Wednesday.

Lee's company POW! Entertainment announced that it will honor the Marvel Comics mogul outside the TCL Chinese Theatre, where Lee's hand and footprints are in cement.

The memorial's organizers include filmmaker and Lee

super-fan Kevin Smith, who will moderate a discussion of Lee's life and work that's set to include actors Mark Hamill and Vincent D'Onofrio and Wu Tang Clan member RZA.

Smith, in a statement, called Lee "the literary titan of comic books" and "our modern-day Mark Twain."

The evening will include speakers, musical performances, an art exhibit, and costumes and props from Lee's creations and Marvel-movie cameos.

Tickets for the public go on sale Wednesday evening, with proceeds going to the Hero Initiative, a charity that supports struggling comic-book creators.

"Stan was a unique and unforgettable human being," Gill Champion, Lee's founding partner at POW!, said in a statement announcing the memorial. "He loved coming to work and creating new ideas and stories and in spite of his genius he was a relatable and kind man."

# Loudmouthed newcomer at basketball

**Dear Annie:** I've played basketball with an informal team of women for well over 10 years. We've now celebrated most of our 40th birthdays together, and though some in the group of 20 or so have come and gone, we've been a pretty close and supportive cluster of friends. We play b-ball twice a week, go for coffee after morning games and occasionally go out for a drink after evening ones.

About six months ago, a new player joined our ranks. She loves being part of the group and is a great player. But frankly, she is a loudmouth and huge drinker. Though I haven't heard direct complaints about her — because my friends are too kind to talk behind her back — I can see it on their faces. It's a pained expression. It's downright embarrassing when she's drunk and yelling insults about any one of us at a bar or restaurant.



Annie Lane

I don't feel close enough to her to suggest getting help for her drinking problem. Besides, she flaunts it and does not appear to want to change. Any suggestions? — Troubled in Toledo

**Dear Troubled:** Alcohol abuse ruins lives. The kindest thing you and your teammates could do for this heavy-drinking "loudmouth" is not to refer to her as that! The only way to get closer to her and be kind to her is to have a frank conversation with her about the effects her drinking is having on the team.

This isn't the kind of team that members get kicked out of. My friends are too gracious for that. But at the same time, she's ruining the dynamics of the group.

If your teammates are truly as kind as you say they are, you should tell her the truth.

**Dear Annie:** If you want to find yourself, do something for others. One of your readers said she was annoyed that a friend would call her twice a week to talk. It invaded her time for herself.

Listening is a gift, and most of us are not good at it. As a spouse, I am a terrible listener. I am trying to do a better job. But I do know that sometimes people just want to vent, and some of us can't help but want to fix what we hear.

I think ladies have their nails done so they will have someone listen to them. Ladies pay \$25 for a half-hour of talking, and they end up with shiny fingernails to boot. And they vent and often solve their own concerns.

What a gift it is to listen to others. Guys, are you listening? — Husband for 42 Years

**Dear Husband:** Interesting notion about the nail salons. Whether or not that hypothesis is correct, you're right that to listen to someone is to give him or her a gift. A few thoughts on "venting": When one partner just wants to vent, I've found it's helpful when the venter states upfront that he or she is just looking to vent and not soliciting advice. But one should also be careful not to make complaining a primary pastime.


We should all be mindful that when we blow off steam by venting, the listener absorbs some of the heat. Be sure to express gratitude.

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# Trimble County High School Basketball Homecoming

Trimble County students Laken Taylor and Logan Clifford were crowned Homecoming Queen and King on Dec. 14, 2018 during the boys varsity basketball game against St. Patrick High School. (Submitted photo)



## CELEBRATIONS

### Birthdays

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### Celebrity Birthdays

Singer Sherrill Milnes is 84. Singer-musician Ronnie Hawkins is 84. Movie director Walter Hill is 79. Actor William Sanderson is 75. Singer Rod Stewart is 74. Singer-musician Donald Fagen (Steely Dan) is 71. Boxing Hall of Famer and entrepreneur George Foreman is 70. Singer Alejandro Escovedo is 68. Musician Scott Thurston (Tom Petty and the Heartbreakers) is 67. Singer Pat Benatar is 66. Hall of Fame race car driver and team owner Bobby Rahal is 66. Musician Michael Schenker is 64.



Friday, January 11, 2019

Use your imagination and creative skills to help you move forward. Listen to your intuition, not to what someone tells you. Distance yourself from indulgent people or takers. Focus on personal gains and improved health. Be responsible and do your own thing. Concentrate on a special relationship and romance.

**CAPRICORN** (Dec. 22-Jan. 19) — Determination and discipline will be required. Say no to anyone trying to manipulate or coerce you into doing things that aren't in your best interest. Surround yourself with responsible people.

**AQUARIUS** (Jan. 20-Feb.

19) — Follow through with a lead someone gives you. A chance to make a professional change will spark your interest. Discuss your intentions with a loved one. Sharing will lead to romance.

**PISCES** (Feb. 20-March 20) — Don't let confusion set in and override your common sense when it comes to personal matters. Someone will not be who he or she appears to be.

**ARIES** (March 21-April 19) — Before you take a giant leap, consider all the angles. You are best off taking a moment to rethink your options. A romantic evening will help you clear your head.

**TAURUS** (April 20-May 20) — A suggestion will intrigue you. See where following it leads you, and be open to change and willing to roll with the punches. An improvement

could result.

**GEMINI** (May 21-June 20) — Don't let anyone interfere with your plans. Look at an opportunity and figure out how to best reach your goal. Observing someone's response will help you make a decision.

**CANCER** (June 21-July 22) — You'll be drawn to someone or something unusual. Study all the possibilities and consider how best to fit into something you want to be a part of. A partnership looks inviting.

**LEO** (July 23-Aug. 22) — Focus on activities that require strength, agility and determination. Participation will lead to a new friendship with someone who will alter your life. Romance is in the stars.

**VIRGO** (Aug. 23-Sept. 22) — Get involved in something that makes you feel good. Lend a helping hand, organize

an event that includes loved ones or make a point to learn something new.

**LIBRA** (Sept. 23-Oct. 23) — Don't let someone's criticism get you down. Look at your attributes and build on what you know you do well and what you enjoy doing. Live life your way.

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OBITUARIES

Paul Daugherty

Paul C. Daugherty, 59, died Monday, Jan. 7, 2019, at Norton Brownsboro Hospital.

He was born Nov. 24, 1959, in Columbus, Ohio, to Hugh Brown Daugherty Sr. and Bessie Lee Green Daugherty. He was raised in Columbus, where he graduated from North High School and then attended Apollo Truck Driving School in Lima, Ohio. Later he joined the Association of Commercial Truck Drivers and became an owner/operator. He was a driving enthusiast and met his wife, Ramona Clark, during his travels through Kentucky. They married and settled in Kentucky. He continued his love with trucking and could always depend on Ramona to be at the house, awaiting his arrival. He attended church at Providence Baptist Church, Ramona's lifelong congregation, where he later became a member. He also was a member of the OOIDA trucking association. He was runner-up for the Goodyear Highway Hero Award. He was sought out to customize models using his architectural skills. If something could be built into a model, he was the person for the job. He had a great love of trains, die-cast trucks and firefighter collections. Many of his trains were based on real excursions where he and his wife traveled. They had two daughters who passed away in infancy. With the heartache still raw, they researched and found solace in studying foster care. They became involved in The Network, a foster care program, and participated in extensive training, where they were able to foster two children. Soon the two became a family of four. They were very active with their children in several activities.

He is survived by his wife; two children, Chris and Hannah Daugherty, both of Bedford, Kentucky; five siblings, Hugh B. Daugherty Jr. of Orlando, Florida, Tracy L. Daugherty of Columbus, Ohio, Christina L. Daugherty West of Oakwood, Ohio, and Kathrine M. Daugherty Hardin of Galloway, Ohio; and several aunts, uncles, nieces, nephews and cousins.

He was preceded in death by two daughters, Asliene Nicole and Caitlin Emily Daugherty; and his parents.

There will be a celebration of life at 11 a.m. Friday at Providence Baptist Church. A burial service will follow at Sulphur Cemetery.

Visitation will be at the church Thursday from 5 p.m. until 8 p.m. and Friday after 9 a.m. until the service.

Expressions of sympathy may take the form of donations to The Network. Envelopes will be available during the services.

Ransdell Funeral Home in Campbellsville, Kentucky, has been entrusted with arrangements.

Online condolences can be sent at ransdellfuneral.com

Glenn Johnson

Glenn Allen Johnson, 65, of Sparta, Kentucky, died Tuesday, Jan. 8, 2019, at his home. Arrangements are pending at this time at Tandy-Eckler-Riley Funeral Home in Carrollton, Kentucky.

Clyde May

Clyde Lester May of Columbus, Indiana, formerly of North Vernon, died Jan. 7, 2019, at Our Hospice of South Central Indiana. He was born May 31, 1929 in Anderson, Indiana, to Charles and Carrie (Tebbe) May. He was the youngest of five children. He graduated from North Vernon High School in 1947. While a junior in high school, he joined the Naval Reserves. In 1949, he married JoAnn Verbarg, his high school sweetheart, and they had five children. He retired from Western Southern Life Insurance Company after 30 years of service. A member of First Methodist Church in North Vernon, he taught Sunday School and Bible study and started the famous Saturday breakfast there that continues today.

After retiring, he and JoAnn built a home on 120 acres that became a tree farm in North Vernon, fulfilling a dream of theirs. He loved his German Shepherd dogs and maintaining

his forest with his family. After 47 years of marriage, JoAnn passed away. He married Dorothy Ash in 1997 and they enjoyed 21 years of love, family, pies, and fudge.

He is survived by his wife; a daughter, Sue Ellen Richardson; two sons Thomas Lester May, and David Francis May, a sister, Geraldine Yates, and 10 grandchildren.

He was preceded in death by his first wife, JoAnn Verbarg May; two children, a daughter, Patricia Ann, and a son, Robert Joseph; and his parents.

Services will be at Sawyer Pickett Funeral Home in North Vernon, Indiana, on Friday, Jan. 11. Visitation will start at 11 a.m. and a service will be at 1 p.m. Memorial contributions may be made to Our Hospice of South Central Indiana or to First Methodist Church of North Vernon.

Online condolences may be shared at sawyerfuneralservice.com.

JEFFERSON

SHERIFF

ARRESTS AND CITATIONS Tuesday

11:39 a.m. Ryan Brown, 41, arrested on a warrant.

Wednesday

4:16 a.m. James White cited for driving while suspended.

INCIDENTS

Tuesday

8:25 a.m. Traffic stop on State Road 7. Warning issued.

10:07 a.m. Courtesy transport in the 1000 block of Blackmore Street.

10:41 a.m. Animal problem in the 600 block of West LaGrange Road, Hanover.

11:39 a.m. Attempt to serve a warrant in the 3000 block of Pin Oak Court. Arrest made.

2:10 p.m. Property damage accident at State Road 7 and Fred Harrell Drive.

2:33 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance in the 10000 block of North West Front Street, Dupont.

3:37 p.m. Lines down in the 1000 block of East Dugan Hollow Road.

3:58 p.m. Case follow-up in the 600 block of Ivy Tech Drive.

4:26 p.m. Livestock out in the 10000 block of West State Road 56, Lexington.

7:31 p.m. Case follow-up on South County Road 1000 West, Lexington.

10 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance in the 400 block of Virginia Avenue.

10:09 p.m. Traffic stop in the 400 block of Clifty Drive. Warning issued.

Wednesday

1:02 a.m. Traffic stop in the 2000 block of Harry Nichols Drive. Warning issued.

3:13 a.m. Suspicious person or circumstance on West Street north of Second Street.

4:16 a.m. Traffic stop at

Chauncey Lane and Clifty Drive. Citation issued.

4:57 a.m. Traffic stop on Michigan Hill. Warning issued.

MADISON POLICE

ARRESTS AND CITATIONS Tuesday

8:14 a.m. Heather Hubbard, 25, cited for false and fictitious plates.

9:18 a.m. Wayne Rowlett, 32, cited for false and fictitious plates.

8:52 p.m. Roger Dale Sizemore, Jr. cited for speed.

Wednesday

1:52 a.m. Raborn Tuilin Flanagan III, cited for driving with an expired operator's license.

INCIDENTS

Tuesday

6:19 a.m. Case follow-up in the 700 block of Clifty Drive.

6:38 a.m. Traffic stop at State Street and Michigan Road. Verbal warning issued.

7:32 a.m. Special detail or patrol at Main and Mill streets.

8:14 a.m. Traffic stop in the 700 block of Clifty Drive. Citation issued.

8:29 a.m. Threats or threatening behavior in the 1000 block of Walnut Street.

8:48 a.m. Case follow-up in the 700 block of Clifty Drive.

8:55 a.m. Animal call follow-up in the 1000 block of Blackmore Street.

9:18 a.m. Traffic stop in the 300 block of East Clifty Drive. Citation issued.

10:09 a.m. Traffic stop in the 1000 block of Clifty Drive. Citation issued.

10:30 a.m. Property damage accident in the 300 block of Walnut Street.

11:04 a.m. Suspicious person or circumstance on West Street and Vaughn Drive.

11:13 a.m. Fight without weapons in the 2000 block of Windridge Drive.

11:15 a.m. Suspicious person or circumstance in the 200 block of St. Michaels Avenue.

11:29 a.m. Bike case at Jefferson and Second streets.

11:53 a.m. Missing adult on Osage Street.

12:13 p.m. Property damage accident at Michigan Road and Clifty Drive.

12:14 p.m. Welfare check in the 1000 block of Allen Street.

12:33 p.m. Welfare check in the 5000 block of North U.S. 421.

12:56 p.m. Runaway juvenile in the 7000 block of West Warman Road, Hanover.

1:27 p.m. Property damage accident in the 500 block of East Clifty Drive.

1:51 p.m. Case follow-up in the 800 block of Green Road.

2:21 p.m. Traffic stop at Elm and Main streets.

2:26 p.m. Theft in the 300 block of Walnut Street.

2:38 p.m. Traffic control or detail at Main and Mill streets.

2:42 p.m. Gas leak in the 100 block of Clifty Drive.

2:45 p.m. Property damage in the 100 block of Clifty

Drive.

2:58 p.m. Fight without weapons in the 800 block of Green Road.

3:21 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance in the 200 block of West Main Street.

3:42 p.m. Intoxicated driver on Hanging Rock Hill on Cragmont Street.

4:01 p.m. Suicide attempt or suicidal person in Madison.

4:30 p.m. Harassment in the 200 block of West Main Street.

5:11 p.m. Unconscious person in the 1000 block of Clifty Hollow Road.

5:24 p.m. Traffic stop at Main and Oak streets.

5:41 p.m. Burglar alarm in the 400 block of Green Road.

5:45 p.m. Reckless driving on East Main Street.

7:56 p.m. Shoplifting in the 500 block of Ivy Tech Drive.

8:52 p.m. Traffic stop on Chicken Run Road west of Clifty Drive. Citation issued.

11:10 p.m. Security check in the 1000 block of Green Road.

Wednesday

12:59 a.m. Medical emergency in the 100 block of Harrison Street.

1:42 a.m. Traffic stop in the 300 block of Franks Drive. Citation issued.

1:42 a.m. Noise complaint in the 2000 block of Kennedy Drive.

2:07 a.m. Breaking and entering into a vehicle in the 500 block of Walnut Street.

2:43 a.m. Suspicious person or circumstance in the 1000 block of Park Avenue.

3:30 a.m. Suspicious vehicle in the 400 block of West Vaughn Drive.

4:25 a.m. Theft in the 100 block of Regatta Court.

HANOVER POLICE

INCIDENTS

Tuesday

12:56 p.m. Runaway juvenile in the 7000 block of West Warman Road.

1:15 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance in the 100 block of Kuntz Road.

3:01 p.m. Traffic control or

detail in the 100 block of South Main Cross Street.

5:34 p.m. Animal abuse in the 100 block of North Madison Avenue.

7:42 p.m. Suspicious person or circumstance in the 200 block of East Crowe Street.

7:43 p.m. Traffic stop in the 100 block of East LaGrange Road. Warning issued.

8:18 p.m. Traffic stop in the 100 block of East LaGrange Road. Warning issued.

JEFFERSON

CIRCUIT COURT

JUDGMENTS

Civil

Unifund CCR, LLC. v. David Curl, plaintiff to take \$1,438.17 plus interest.

JEFFERSON

SUPERIOR COURT

NEW FILINGS

Civil

"King's Kastles", Inc. d/b/a King's homes v. Jessica and Charles Gray, complaint for \$46,985.94 plus court costs and interest.

Carolyn Diane Wilson v. Aaron Eugene Wilson, petition for divorce.

Harry Dobbins v. Scott Doty and all occupants, complaint for \$2,130 plus court costs.

Harry Dobbins v. Jenna L. Ashcraft and all occupants, complaint for \$700 plus court costs.

Joe Pettit v. Scott Cox, complaint for \$1,050 plus court costs.

JUDGMENTS

Civil

Madison Village, LLC. v. Shawnita Cosby, plaintiff to take \$11,108.63.

Greco v. Coble, plaintiff to take \$1,480.

Madison Village, LLC. v. Adam T. Davis, plaintiff to take \$827.63 plus interest.

Madison Village, LLC. v. Adam Davis, Sr., plaintiff to take \$914.63 plus interest.

Portfolio Recovery Associ-

ates, LLC. v. Raymond Ehlers, II, plaintiff to take \$2,824.25 plus interest.

Star Stores Inc. v. Darius Wilking, Michelle Goins, Kenneth Humes, plaintiff to take \$1,662.

Portfolio Recovery Associates LLC. v. Shannon Hatfield, plaintiff to take \$824.71.

Madison Village v. Christina Janway, plaintiff to take \$1,356.52.

Capital One Bank (USA), N.A. v. Christina Jones, plaintiff to take \$2,640.36.

Portfolio Recovery Associates LLC. v. Lora Lamb, plaintiff to take \$10,590.94 plus interest.

Portfolio Recovery Associates LLC. v. Amber Mahaffey, plaintiff to take \$2,995.08 plus interest.

Lodgebuilding Apt. v. Michael Schermer, plaintiff to take \$1,625.

David Bedingham v. Angela Sharp and all other occupants, plaintiff to take \$6,107.

REAL ESTATE

TRANSFERS

Fountain Holdings LLC to Mark A. and Deborah A. Bear, 407 East Street.

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Stephanie Harrell, Steven Harrell and Brian Harrell to Steve Harrell and Brian Harrell, 2365 South Harrell Street, Hanover.

Jamie A. Fox and Stephanie A. Warren to Stephanie A. Fox and Jamie A. Fox, 4230 North County Road 850 East.

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Let Us Pause to Honor the Memory of

Mr. Ed Renfro



Mr. Robert Ed Renfro, age 52, of Madison, Indiana entered this life on May 6, 1966 in Lebanon, Indiana. He was the loving son of the late Robert C. Jr. and Jerry L. Byrns Renfro. He was raised in Westport and graduated high school there in 1984. He graduated from Purdue University with a mechanical engineering degree. On May 16, 1992 Ed was united in marriage to Lakie Jo Higbie at the First Baptist Church in downtown Madison. This happy union of 26 years was blessed with a son, Wesley Warren. Ed had worked at ABM in Greensburg for 24 years as an operator. He was a member of the First Baptist Church and the Westport Masonic Lodge. Ed enjoyed boating, fishing, going to the lake, and dearly loved his dog, Charlie. Ed died on Sunday, January 6, 2019, at 1:45 p.m. at the University of Louisville Hospital in Louisville, Kentucky after suffering a stroke.

A LOVING FAMILY

Ed will be missed by his loving wife of 26 years, Lakie Jo Higbie Renfro of Madison, Indiana; his loving son, Wesley Warren Renfro of Madison, Indiana; his loving sister, Susan Cross of Westport, Indiana; his father in law and mother in law, Kenny and Sharon Furnish Higbie of Madison, Indiana; his nieces and nephews, Kim Tormoehlen and her husband, Kody, Jeffrey Paul "J.P." Stevens Kelsey Schafer and her husband, Josh, Brandon, Rachel, and Paisley Woods, Angel and Kenny Higbie; his sisters in law and brothers in law, Kandy Woods and her husband Jeff of Newark, Ohio, Derrick Higbie and his wife, Deanna of Madison, Indiana; his aunts and uncles, Terry and Nancy Byrns of Seymour, Indiana, Kenny and Carroll Gilham of Corydon, Indiana, Jodi and Burt Tienken of Florence, Indiana; several cousins and other relatives. He was preceded in death by his father, Robert C. Renfro, Jr., died May 6, 2018, his mother, Jerry L. Byrns Renfro, died June 2017, and his uncle and his aunt, Jim Byrns and Joyce McCray.

FUNERAL CEREMONY

Funeral services will be conducted Friday, January 11, 2019, at 7:00 p.m., by Rev. Randy Crutchfield at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

VISITATION

Friends may visit Friday from 5:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS

Memorial contributions may be made to the First Baptist Church or Stray Haven Pet Rescue. Cards are available at the funeral homes. Online condolences, www.morgan-nay.com



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# Evansville execs urge U.S. 41 bridges be open, toll free

By JOHN T. MARTIN  
Evansville Courier & Press

EVANSVILLE — Leaders of some of Evansville’s largest employers are urging the I-69 Ohio River Crossing project team to rethink its intent to shut down a U.S. 41 bridge.

A project team spokeswoman said those comments are being heard and conversations will continue, but the long-term cost to keep both U.S. 41 bridges open is a concern.

The team’s current plan is to construct a tolled, four-lane I-69 span east of Ellis Park, remove the southbound U.S. 41 bridge from service and keep the northbound U.S. 41 bridge in use, possibly with a toll.

During a public hearing

Tuesday, Evansville’s corporate titans made their feelings known. They said the bi-state region needs not one, but two, toll-free U.S. 41 bridges left in service.

Bob Koch, CEO of Koch Enterprises, said about 500 employees of his companies traverse the bridge to and from work.

Koch, who also is president of the bi-state I-69 bridge advocacy coalition BridgeLink, said there are ways the project team can cut the long-term maintenance costs on the U.S. 41 bridges.

“Place a weight limit on the twin bridges and direct all medium and heavy trucks to the new, tolled bridge,” Koch

said. “There’s more than enough money to take care of the I-69 bridge and to keep the two existing bridges free of tolls.”

Koch was followed to the microphone by Sara Miller, president of the Old National Bank Evansville region; Berry Global CEO Tom Salmon; former Deaconess Health System CEO Linda White; Southwest Indiana Chamber Board President Christine Keck; Brad Ellsworth, president of Vectren South and board president of Growth Alliance for Greater Evansville; and others.

White noted the volume of patients Deaconess facilities has from Kentucky communities, as well as the recently

announced partnership between Deaconess and Henderson’s Methodist Hospital.

Miller said Old National “benefits from a diverse and regional workforce, and we need to provide toll-free access to communities where they live and serve.”

The project team consists of Indiana Department of Transportation and Kentucky Transportation Cabinet representatives.

Funding to construct the new bridge is the key issue at hand, officials said. The project’s estimated cost is \$1.5 billion.

The long-term costs of keeping one U.S. 41 bridge open, let alone two, would be substantial, according to the

project team.

The northbound span opened in 1932. The southbound bridge dates to 1965.

Dan Prevost, the project team’s lead environmental engineer, said at Tuesday’s hearing that studies indicate this region needs six lanes of cross-river traffic.

Having more than six lanes “would unnecessarily add to the states’ maintenance obligations,” Prevost told the Evansville audience of about 125 people.

He said removing one U.S. 41 bridge would save about \$145 million over 35 years.

The project team’s preferred alternative route for a new I-69 bridge is a new terrain path

that would connect completed portions of the interstate in Southwestern Indiana and Western Kentucky.

I-69 connects Michigan and Texas, and an Ohio River path is a missing link along the route.

One public commenter during Monday night’s public hearing in Henderson, Michael Manfox Buley, said the preferred alternative route, known as Central Corridor 1, goes through Native American burial grounds in Kentucky, and he asked that it be tweaked.

Peterson said the project team has spoken with Buley about his claims on prior occasions, and archaeological surveys are being done in the area.

# Applications for Tri Kappa scholarships are underway

Courier staff report

The state Tri Kappa organization will award a variety of scholarships to college students throughout Indiana in the spring. Each scholarship will be for \$1,000.

Tri Kappa has provided scholarship awards since 1914, acknowledging students on the local and state levels.

Combined, those scholarships now provide nearly \$500,000 annually to honor academic achievement.

The Madison Beta Omega Chapter is inviting area students to begin the process of submitting an application for the scholarships.

Students wishing to apply for any of these scholarships are encouraged to contact the Madison Beta Omega Chapter of Tri Kappa at tkmadison-scholarship@gmail.com

The Tri Kappa State Scholarship Committee will meet in early spring for selections. In addition to the state scholar-

ships, the Madison Beta Omega Chapter of Tri Kappa also provides local scholarships to area seniors in Jefferson County.

Local high school counselors have the information for those applications.

The Madison Beta Omega Chapter of Tri Kappa provided this information for applicants:

- Twelve \$1,000 academic scholarships will be awarded and additional at-large scholarships could be awarded depending on the funds avail-

able. To apply students must now be enrolled in a baccalaureate or graduate program with at least one academic year completed. Criteria used by the Tri Kappa selection committee are academic achievement, strong goals, extracurricular activities, work experience and volunteer service.

- Two \$1,000 Key Scholarships are available to students throughout the state. These are for students who have no previous degree beyond high

school and have had a lapse in their education for at least five years. Any student enrolled in an accredited school offering an associate or baccalaureate degree who has completed at least one semester may apply. Criteria used by the Tri Kappa selection committee are strong goals, work experience and volunteer service since high school.

- Two \$1,000 Fine Arts Scholarships will be awarded statewide to students majoring

in art, dance, drama, or music. To apply, students must now be enrolled in an accredited baccalaureate or graduate degree program with at least one academic year completed.

- The \$1,000 Twanette Nutter Fleming Music Award stipulates that the applicant must be enrolled in a fully accredited course of study leading to a degree to teach music in a private, public, or parochial school and have completed at least one academic year.

## • Charlie’s Beat

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me.” Apparently her mouth had accepted the job before her brain had time to think.

“It’s an all-consuming task,” Kathy said, “Pretty much full time for six months or so.” After a remarkable 16-year run, Kathy resigned this year to take a break and pursue other interests. But her impact on the Madison music landscape has been significant, and it’s worth examining.

Kathy enjoys music for sure, but she’s not an impassioned music lover. And she’s never had a special affinity for blues music, which is the bailiwick of Ribberfest.

“But that’s good,” she says. “You don’t need music appreciation to run a festival. You need management, organization, and leadership.” She was the glue that held it all together, and propelled Ribberfest to heights of success.

“I had an amazing music committee,” she said. “Dave Butler and Rocky from the very start, plus Rick and Becky Burress. They are a big part of what’s made Ribberfest what it is today. We’ve pretty much grown steadily since the beginning.”

“A lot of people point to the year we had Buddy Guy as our high-water mark, but in fact two years later we were even

bigger, when we had Robert Randolph and Kenny Wayne Shepherd. Great artists attract their own fan base, and then those new people discover Ribberfest and the town of Madison. They tell their friends. It’s a positive upward spiral.”

Kathy also points to the 1990s bars and clubs that cultivated an appreciation for live music in Madison. “Joey G’s brought great talent to town, including a lot of blues players. The Broadway was active back then, and the Electric Lady. Even the old Drake bar down on Mulberry was a music hot spot. Those places opened a lot of minds and paved the way for the festivals.”

Kathy thinks our burgeoning music scene will help drive a tourism growth trend. And she intends to be a part of it. She’s thinking about promoting some of her favorite live acts at local venues. “Ever heard of Elvis Junior?” she asked me. I had not, but I googled him. What a story!

the Taproom they have a Los Angeles band coming through called Buck Thrifty. Stand up bass, banjo, violin, high-energy. Check them out on Youtube, they look awesome. I’ll be there, for sure.

Charlie Rohlfing is a stalwart of the RiverRoots Festival committee, a campfire guitar strummer, and a partner in The Red Bicycle Hall music venue. Look for his distinctive fedora bobbing above the crowd, anywhere live local music is happening. Find him out and about or at charlie@madisoncourier.com

## WEATHER

Sunrise: 8:00 a.m. Sunset: 5:39 p.m.  
Temperature: high 31, low 21, mean 26, excess 4.2  
Precipitation: 0 inches  
Total, January: 0.66 inches  
Precipitation, year: 0.66 inches  
Historic Average: 1.08 inches  
Barometer: 30.36 Rising  
River level at IKE: 434 feet

## • Weather

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by the end of the weekend as a dome of upper ridging builds over the northern Rockies. This will keep the trough and its associated inclement weather in the region for a few days, rather than the trough pushing right through.

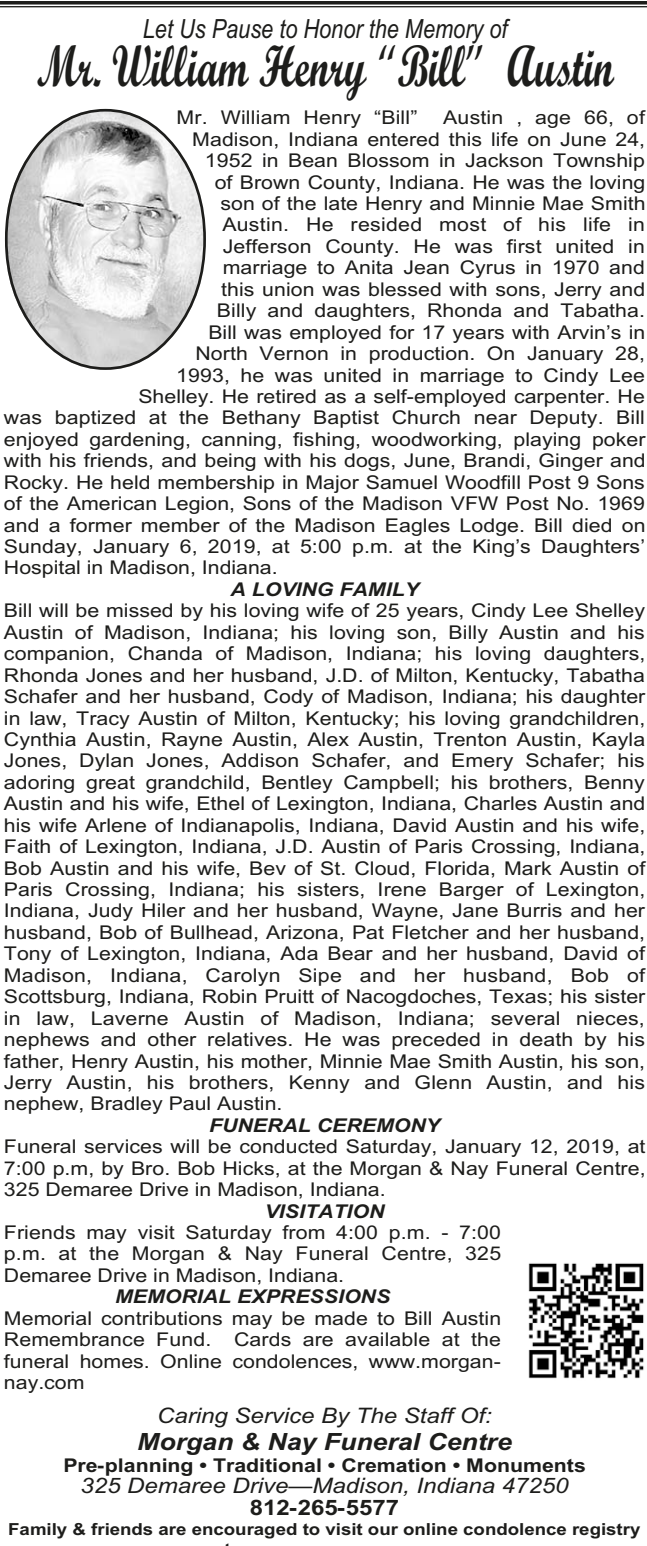
After the first wave of precipitation comes through Friday night-Saturday, a second wave is expected, the forecast said, as weak surface low pressure crosses the Tennessee Valley Saturday night-Sunday. Precipitation amounts should be slightly less than what we see with the first wave as atmospheric moisture decreases slightly and the low will be slowly filling. Temperatures will be tricky and, of course, crucial in determining what kind of precipitation falls. Daytime highs should still be 4-7 degrees above freezing in southern Indiana and north central Kentucky both days of the weekend. Southern Kentucky may reach the lower 40s. Morning lows will be a few degrees either side of freezing.

A light rain/snow mix is expected to begin Friday evening as the atmosphere saturates, and then transition to all snow in most locations Friday night, according to the forecast. At least the southern half of Kentucky will change over to rain Saturday, with a rain/snow mix to the north. Locations along and north of I-64 should then go back to snow Saturday night while the rest of the region sees a rain/snow mix or even just plain rain. Sunday will see a mix. Some data suggests a small chance of some brief, light freezing rain around sunrise Saturday in north central Kentucky and southern Indiana. There are still questions as to just how much snow will fall.

Temperatures Friday afternoon around 40 should help to bring surface temperatures up, the forecast said, despite Friday morning lows around

20. The snow that falls will be falling with temperatures near freezing, making it a wet snow and thus perhaps making somewhat less impact on the roads. Also, temperatures will

warm above freezing during the day Saturday and Sunday, further mitigating impact. Winds are expected to be very light throughout the weekend.



Let Us Pause to Honor the Memory of  
*Mr. William Henry "Bill" Austin*

Mr. William Henry "Bill" Austin, age 66, of Madison, Indiana entered this life on June 24, 1952 in Bean Blossom in Jackson Township of Brown County, Indiana. He was the loving son of the late Henry and Minnie Mae Smith Austin. He resided most of his life in Jefferson County. He was first united in marriage to Anita Jean Cyrus in 1970 and this union was blessed with sons, Jerry and Billy and daughters, Rhonda and Tabatha. Bill was employed for 17 years with Arvin's in North Vernon in production. On January 28, 1993, he was united in marriage to Cindy Lee Shelley. He retired as a self-employed carpenter. He was baptized at the Bethany Baptist Church near Deputy. Bill enjoyed gardening, canning, fishing, woodworking, playing poker with his friends, and being with his dogs, June, Brandi, Ginger and Rocky. He held membership in Major Samuel Woodfill Post 9 Sons of the American Legion, Sons of the Madison VFW Post No. 1969 and a former member of the Madison Eagles Lodge. Bill died on Sunday, January 6, 2019, at 5:00 p.m. at the King's Daughters' Hospital in Madison, Indiana.


**A LOVING FAMILY**  
Bill will be missed by his loving wife of 25 years, Cindy Lee Shelley Austin of Madison, Indiana; his loving son, Billy Austin and his companion, Chanda of Madison, Indiana; his loving daughters, Rhonda Jones and her husband, J.D. of Milton, Kentucky, Tabatha Schafer and her husband, Cody of Madison, Indiana; his daughter in law, Tracy Austin of Milton, Kentucky; his loving grandchildren, Cynthia Austin, Rayne Austin, Alex Austin, Trenton Austin, Kayla Jones, Dylan Jones, Addison Schafer, and Emery Schafer; his adoring great grandchild, Bentley Campbell; his brothers, Benny Austin and his wife, Ethel of Lexington, Indiana, Charles Austin and his wife Arlene of Indianapolis, Indiana, David Austin and his wife, Faith of Lexington, Indiana, J.D. Austin of Paris Crossing, Indiana, Bob Austin and his wife, Bev of St. Cloud, Florida, Mark Austin of Paris Crossing, Indiana; his sisters, Irene Barger of Lexington, Indiana, Judy Hiler and her husband, Wayne, Jane Burris and her husband, Bob of Bullhead, Arizona, Pat Fletcher and her husband, Tony of Lexington, Indiana, Ada Bear and her husband, David of Madison, Indiana, Carolyn Sipe and her husband, Bob of Scottsburg, Indiana, Robin Pruitt of Nacogdoches, Texas; his sister in law, Laverne Austin of Madison, Indiana; several nieces, nephews and other relatives. He was preceded in death by his father, Henry Austin, his mother, Minnie Mae Smith Austin, his son, Jerry Austin, his brothers, Kenny and Glenn Austin, and his nephew, Bradley Paul Austin.

**FUNERAL CEREMONY**  
Funeral services will be conducted Saturday, January 12, 2019, at 7:00 p.m. by Bro. Bob Hicks, at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

**VISITATION**  
Friends may visit Saturday from 4:00 p.m. - 7:00 p.m. at the Morgan & Nay Funeral Centre, 325 Demaree Drive in Madison, Indiana.

**MEMORIAL EXPRESSIONS**  
Memorial contributions may be made to Bill Austin Remembrance Fund. Cards are available at the funeral homes. Online condolences, [www.morgan-nay.com](http://www.morgan-nay.com)

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## SPORTS BRIEFS

### IndyCar close to new sponsor

INDIANAPOLIS (AP) — The search for IndyCar's new title sponsor may be nearing an end — and just in time for NBC to provide more value with expanded television coverage of the series.

Mark Miles, the president and CEO of IndyCar parent Hulman & Co., said Wednesday he hopes to make a formal announcement before February's scheduled test at Austin, Texas.

"Very soon," Miles said, describing the timeline. "Let's put it this way. I want it on the cars and the fire suits if at all possible for the test. We also want the new sponsor to be involved in a new app and that takes time."

NTT Data, a sponsor with Chip Ganassi Racing, has been mentioned as a potential replacement for Verizon, which announced in October 2017 it would be leaving IndyCar at the end of last season.

Miles acknowledged no announcement was forthcoming at Wednesday's news conference to kick off the 2019 season. Instead, the discussion focused primarily on developments and promotions designed to help the series expand its reach and boost its television ratings.

NBC, IndyCar's new broadcast partner, announced it will carry eight of the series' 17 races on its primary network, beginning with the two Indianapolis races in May and concluding with the last two races of the season in September. The other nine events will be shown on NBC's sports cable channel, NBCSN, starting with the season opener at St. Petersburg on March 10.

The network plans to air almost 350 hours of IndyCar racing across its platforms.

Miles said there is a possibility Surfer's Paradise in Australia could be on the 2020 schedule; the series hasn't raced in Australia since 2008.

### AP: Browns to pick Kitchens

CLEVELAND (AP) — A person familiar with the decision says the Cleveland Browns are hiring Freddie Kitchens as their coach.

Kitchens, who had a dazzling eight-week run as the team's interim offensive coordinator, is finalizing his contract and will be named Cleveland's ninth coach since 1999, said the person who spoke Wednesday to the Associated Press on condition of anonymity because the team is not commenting on the imminent hire.

ESPN was first to announce the decision.

The 44-year-old Kitchens has no previous head coaching experience, but his work with Cleveland's offense — and quarterback Baker Mayfield — in the season's second half vaulted him ahead of the other six candidates interviewed by the Browns.

### AP: Jets hire Adam Gase

NEW YORK (AP) — A person familiar with the decision says the New York Jets have hired former Miami Dolphins coach Adam Gase as their head coach.

Gase was 23-26 in three seasons with Miami, including a playoff game in 2016, before being fired after this season. The 40-year-old coach worked as an assistant with Detroit, San Francisco and Denver before being promoted to offensive coordinator by the Broncos in 2013 and drawing rave reviews from Peyton Manning.

Gase followed coach John Fox to Chicago in 2015 to be the Bears' offensive coordinator. He was hired by the Dolphins as their head coach the following season.

The person spoke to The Associated Press on condition of anonymity on Wednesday night because the team had not yet announced the hiring.

### Bama QB Hurts to transfer?

MONTGOMERY, Ala. (AP) — Alabama quarterback Jalen Hurts has taken an important step toward transferring.

Hurts entered his name into the NCAA transfer database portal on Wednesday, two people familiar with the situation told The AP, speaking on condition of anonymity because the NCAA list is not publicly accessible.

Putting his name on the list allows other schools to contact Hurts, who has already graduated and is eligible to play his final season as a graduate transfer.



**PAINT BATTLE:** Hanover's Maleha Motter (above, 23) battles her way to the basket through Earlham's Rosie Newhart (35) during Wednesday's game at Collier Arena. The Panthers' Savannah Courtney (below 34) grabs a rebound away from Newhart. The Panthers held on for the 62-51 victory to remain in first place in the HCAC. (Staff photos by David Campbell)

## Hanover women beat Earlham 62-51 to remain tied for HCAC

By DAVID CAMPBELL

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Hanover got double-doubles from both Maleha Motter and Alexis Nall to hold off a scrappy Earlham squad 62-51 at home on Wednesday and remain in a three-way tie atop the Heartland Collegiate Athletic Conference women's basketball standings.

Motter, a 5-foot-10 junior from Danville, scored 18 points and had 10 rebounds while Nall, a 5-foot-10 junior from Mount Vernon, added 15 points and 11 rebounds for a Hanover team that improved to 6-1 in league play.

The Panthers needed every point. Earlham, coached by former Hanover player Shauna Watson, battled throughout the game and stayed close enough at the end to make Hanover sweat.

"(Earlham) just plays so hard and that was one of our focuses this week, was to make sure that we match their energy. I think for three and a half quarters we did a pretty good job of that," Hanover coach John Jones said. "Give Shauna credit and her team credit, even in a tough stretch against Transy, Rose and us, the margin has been about the same."

Hanover (10-4, 6-1 HCAC) only trailed once, at 2-1, but it took until the third quarter for the Panthers to finally seize some breathing room.

The Panthers led 14-11 after the first quarter and took a 31-22 lead into the half thanks to a Kristin Mills 3-pointer at the buzzer.

Hanover finally pushed its lead into double-digits when Nall scored to cap a 6-2 run and put the Panthers ahead 37-24. The margin never dropped to single digits again.

Hanover shot 42 percent (22-for-52) from the floor for the game and went 14-for-17 at the free-throw line, a key emphasis in recent weeks. The Panthers also held Earlham to 0-for-9 on 3-point attempts and 22-for-54 (41 percent) overall for the game.

Madison's Katie Hartman twisted an ankle during last weekend's game at Manchester and did not start but still scored eight points off the bench. Senior Avery Chezem started in Hartman's place and had seven points.

"I just tried to bring the same energy that Katie brings every game," Chezem said. "Katie's an awesome player and



if you had seen her ankle right now it's black and blue. It's amazing and she played great tonight."

Camryn White scored 18 points to lead Earlham and Zoe Curtis scored 10. Former Jac-Cen-Del standout Rosie Newhart had eight points off the bench and high school teammate Kayla Bowling scored five before suffering a knee injury in the fourth quarter.

Fellow HCAC frontrunners Transylvania and Rose-Hulman both also won Wednesday night as the top three in the league have begun to pull away from the pack. Anderson, currently in fourth place at 4-3, will travel to Hanover on Saturday.

## Panthers win 83-57 at Earlham

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Hanover shot over 60 percent from the floor in the second half and had four players in double figures in an 83-57 men's basketball rout at Earlham on Wednesday.

The Panthers led only 33-28 at halftime but elevated its offense over the final 20 minutes to outscore Earlham 50-29 and pull away for the Heartland Collegiate Athletic Conference win.

Cam Fails scored 19 points and had eight rebounds and eight assists to lead Hanover while Zach Harp went 5-of-6 from the 3-point line and scored 15 points off the bench. Christian Reed had 12 points and Isaac Hibbard scored 10. Darrell Hutchinson Jr. scored 16 points and Jamel Barnes had 12 points and 11 rebounds to lead Earlham.

Hanover (10-4, 5-2 HCAC) hosts Anderson on Saturday.

### WEDNESDAY'S MEN'S GAME AT RICHMOND HANOVER 83, EARLHAM 57

**HANOVER (10-4, 5-2 HCAC)** — (g)Fails 19, Harp 15, Reed 12, (g)Hibbard 10, (g)Robertson 9, (f)Cloncs 7, (f)K. Williams 4, Ratts 3, Sanborn 3, Bray 2, N. Williams 0, True 0, Weimer 0, J. Williams 0, McHugh 0, Garcia 0, Stewart 0, Washburn 0.

**EARLHAM (3-11, 2-5 HCAC)** — (f)Hutchinson 16, Barnes 12, Sanborn 9, Galloway 6, Waire 5, Bonin 5, (c)Hubbard 2, Camarillo 1, Rucker 1, (g)Stalling 0, (g)Phillips 0, Lewis 0, Mosher 0, Eldosougi 0, Wilkerson 0, Sakaleros 0.

**Halftime** — Hanover 33-28. **3-Point Goals** — Hanover 9 (Harp 5, Cloncs 1, Fails 1, Hibbard 1, Robertson 1), Earlham 8 (Barnes 3, Sanborn 3, Waire 1, Bonin 1). **Rebounds** — Hanover 39 (Fails 8), Earlham 31 (Barnes 11). **Assists** — Hanover 14 (Fails 8), Earlham 13 (Waire 4). **Turnovers** — Hanover 11, Earlham 12. **Total Fouls** — Hanover 11, Earlham 17. **Free Throws** — Hanover 14-21, Earlham 5-8. **Fouled Out** — Hanover None.

### WEDNESDAY'S WOMEN'S GAME at Hanover HANOVER 62, EARLHAM 51

<b>EARLHAM</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>11</b>	<b>9</b>	<b>20</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>51</b>
<b>HANOVER</b>	<b>14</b>	<b>17</b>	<b>16</b>	<b>15</b>	<b>—</b>	<b>62</b>

**EARLHAM (4-10, 2-5 HCAC)** — (g)White 18, (c)Curtis 10, Newhart 8, (g)Bowling 5, (f)McFarland 5, (f)Tenette 5, Weisner 0, Spears 0, Krodol 0.

**HANOVER (10-4, 6-1 HCAC)** — (f)Motter 18, (f)Nall 15, Hartman 8, (g)Chezem 7, Mills 5, (g)Todd 4, Kallmeyer 3, Walker 2, (g)Cromer 0, Messmore 0, Bivins 0, Courtney 0.

**3-Point Goals** — Earlham 0, Hanover 4 (Todd 1, Motter 1, Chezem 1, Mills 1). **Rebounds** — Earlham 31 (Curtis 6), Hanover 38 (Nall 11, Motter 10). **Assists** — Earlham 6 (Tenette 3), Hanover 16 (Walker 4). **Turnovers** — Earlham 15, Hanover 20. **Total Fouls** — Earlham 20, Hanover 19. **Free Throws** — Earlham 7-13, Hanover 14-17. **Fouled Out** — Earlham: White.

### HEARTLAND COLLEGIATE ATHLETIC CONFERENCE Basketball Standings

MEN		
	HCAC	All
Rose-Hulman	6-1	10-4
Bluffton	5-2	10-3
<b>Hanover</b>	<b>5-2</b>	<b>10-4</b>
Transylvania	5-2	8-6
Anderson	5-2	6-8
Mount St. Joseph	3-4	5-9
Manchester	2-5	5-9
Franklin	2-5	4-10
Earlham	2-5	3-11
Defiance	0-7	2-12

WOMEN		
	HCAC	All
Transylvania	6-1	12-2
<b>Hanover</b>	<b>6-1</b>	<b>10-4</b>
Rose-Hulman	6-1	9-5
Anderson	4-3	8-6
Mount St. Joseph	3-4	8-6
Bluffton	3-4	5-9
Franklin	3-4	5-9
Earlham	2-5	4-10
Defiance	2-5	3-11
Manchester	0-7	2-12

## Celtics pin 135-113 loss on Pacers

By DOUG ALDEN

Associated Press

BOSTON — There's no secret to the Boston Celtics recent roll.

The Celtics continued to share the offensive load, and the results showed again in a 135-113 rout of the Indiana Pacers on Wednesday night for their fourth straight win.

"It's not too often that we're going to put up 135 points, but I feel like consistently over the last few games, we've done a great job of making shots," said Kyrie Irving, who had 12 points in 24 minutes before getting to rest the entire fourth quarter.



"We're making shots. We're continuing to make each other better and make those plays that we weren't making at the beginning of the season."

The Celtics had 32 assists — their fifth straight game with 30 or more — and put together their highest scoring game this season. Boston (25-15) also ended a three-game skid against the Pacers, who entered the night third in the Eastern Conference having won seven of eight.

"It just looked like we were gassed tonight," Indiana coach Nate McMillan said. "We knew they could come out fast and they did. They came out very aggressive, attacking us and just we weren't able to establish anything defensively against this group."

Marcus Morris had 22 points and eight rebounds, Jaylen Brown also scored 22 points and Jayson Tatum had 20 for the Celtics, who have won five of six.

Gordon Hayward had 14 points, Daniel Theis added 12 points and six rebounds off the bench, and Terry Rozier had 12 points and five assists.

Domantas Sabonis had 20 points and seven rebounds for the Pacers (27-14), who had won seven of eight. Thaddeus Young had 10 points and eight rebounds, and Victor Oladipo scored 17 points.

The Pacers never led and fell to 5-2 in the second of back-to-back games this season. They wilted in the second half after beating Cleveland 123-115 the previous night.

"They just beat us in every category today," Oladipo said. "Everything you can imagine, they beat us in."

Boston led 68-53 at halftime after shooting 56.5 percent (26 for 46) in the first half.

Indiana used a 10-2 run early in the third and cut the margin to 79-67 on Sabonis' hook shot with 5:31 left in the period, but Boston took off again and topped 100 points before the quarter was over.

Theis converted a three-point play to start the Celtics on a 12-3 run, and Boston closed out the period with another surge, getting back-to-back 3-pointers by Rozier for a 100-74 lead with 1:27 left.

### KEEP SHARING

The Celtics' string of 30-plus assist games is their longest since a six-game run in March and April of 1987.

"We're all understanding that we're trying to play faster and the ball movement has been working for us," said Al Horford, who led Boston with eight assists. "It keeps the defense on their toes, really makes the other team work. It's kind of contagious."

### OUT-PACED

Boston's point total was also the most allowed by Indiana this season — eight more points than Charlotte scored on the Pacers on Nov. 27.

"The fourth game of a five-game road trip and you're playing Boston on a back-to-back," McMillan said. "In a situation like that, you knew they were going to try to be aggressive, run us out of the building right from the start. And we just never could keep up with them."

### TIP-INS

**Pacers:** Tyreke Evans scored 15 points and Kyle O'Quinn had 11. ... Bojan Bogdanovic was called for a technical foul with 8:43 left in the first quarter. ... Young was called for another technical for saying something from the Pacers' bench with two minutes left in the third quarter, and coach Nate McMillan got one with 16 seconds left in the period. ... C Myles Turner was out with a sore right shoulder.

**Celtics:** Scored 68 in the first half, one point shy of their season-high.

### UP NEXT

The Pacers visit New York on Friday night (TV: Live on ESPN & FS Ohio at 7:30 p.m.).



FOOTBALL

<b>NATIONAL FOOTBALL LEAGUE</b>	
<b>NFL PLAYOFFS</b>	
<b>WILD-CARDS</b>	
<b>Saturday, Jan. 5</b>	
Indianapolis 21, Houston 7	
Dallas 24, Seattle 22	
<b>Sunday, Jan. 6</b>	
L.A. Chargers 23, Baltimore 17	
Philadelphia 16, Chicago 15	
<b>DIVISIONAL PLAYOFFS</b>	
<b>Saturday, Jan. 12</b>	
Indianapolis at Kansas City, 4:35 p.m. (NBC)	
Dallas at L.A. Rams, 8:15 p.m. (FOX)	
<b>Sunday, Jan. 13</b>	
Los Angeles Chargers at New England, 1:05 p.m. (CBS)	
Philadelphia at New Orleans, 4:40 p.m. (FOX)	
<b>CONFERENCE CHAMPIONSHIPS</b>	
<b>Sunday, Jan. 20</b>	
<b>NFC</b>	
TBD, 3:05 p.m. (FOX)	
<b>AFC</b>	
TBD, 6:40 p.m. (CBS)	
<b>PRO BOWL</b>	
<b>Sunday, Jan. 27</b>	
<b>At Orlando, Fla.</b>	
AFC vs. NFC, 3 p.m., (ABC/ESPN)	
<b>SUPER BOWL</b>	
<b>Sunday, Feb. 3</b>	
<b>At Atlanta</b>	
AFC champion vs. NFC champion, 6:30 p.m. (CBS)	

<b>COLLEGE FOOTBALL BOWL SCHEDULE</b>	
<b>Saturday, Jan. 19</b>	
<b>East-West Shrine Classic, at St. Petersburg, Fla.</b>	
East vs. West, 3 p.m. (NFLN)	
<b>NFLPA Collegiate Bowl, at Pasadena, Calif.</b>	
American vs. National, TBA (NFLN)	
<b>Saturday, Jan. 26</b>	
<b>Senior Bowl, at Mobile, Ala.</b>	
North vs. South, 2:30 p.m. (NFLN)	

BASKETBALL

<b>NATIONAL BASKETBALL ASSOCIATION</b>	
<b>Standings</b>	
<b>EASTERN CONFERENCE</b>	
<b>Atlantic Division</b>	
<b>W</b>	<b>L Pct GB</b>
Toronto 31	12 .721 —
Philadelphia 27	15 .643 3½
Boston 25	15 .625 4½
Brooklyn 21	22 .488 10
New York 10	31 .244 20
<b>Southeast Division</b>	
<b>W</b>	<b>L Pct GB</b>
Miami 19	20 .487 —
Charlotte 19	21 .475 ½
Orlando 17	24 .415 3
Washington 17	25 .405 3½
Atlanta 12	29 .293 8
<b>Central Division</b>	
<b>W</b>	<b>L Pct GB</b>
Milwaukee 29	11 .725 —
Indiana 27	14 .659 2½
Detroit 17	22 .436 11½
Chicago 10	31 .244 19½
Cleveland 8	34 .190 22
<b>WESTERN CONFERENCE</b>	
<b>Southwest Division</b>	
<b>W</b>	<b>L Pct GB</b>
Houston 23	17 .575 —
San Antonio 24	18 .571 —
New Orleans 20	22 .476 4
Memphis 19	22 .463 4½
Dallas 19	22 .463 4½
<b>Northwest Division</b>	
<b>W</b>	<b>L Pct GB</b>
Denver 27	12 .692 —
Oklahoma City 25	15 .625 2½
Portland 25	17 .595 3½
Utah 21	21 .500 7½
Minnesota 20	21 .488 8
<b>Pacific Division</b>	
<b>W</b>	<b>L Pct GB</b>
Golden State 27	14 .659 —
L.A. Clippers 24	16 .600 2½
L.A. Lakers 23	19 .548 4½
Sacramento 20	21 .488 7
Phoenix 10	33 .233 18
<b>Wednesday's Games</b>	
Boston 135, Indiana 108	
Washington 123, Philadelphia 106	
Brooklyn 116, Atlanta 100	
Memphis 96, San Antonio 86	
Milwaukee 116, Houston 109	
New Orleans 140, Cleveland 124	
Chicago 104, Phoenix 94	
Utah 106, Orlando 93	
Portland 124, Chicago 112	
L.A. Lakers 113, Detroit 100	
<b>Thursday's Games</b>	
Boston at Miami, 7 p.m.	
L.A. Clippers at Denver, 9 p.m.	
Oklahoma City at San Antonio, 9:30 p.m.	
Detroit at Sacramento, 10 p.m.	
<b>Friday's Games</b>	
Atlanta at Philadelphia, 7 p.m.	
Milwaukee at Washington, 7 p.m.	
Brooklyn at Toronto, 7:30 p.m.	
Indiana at New York, 7:30 p.m.	
Cleveland at Houston, 8 p.m.	
Dallas at Minnesota, 8 p.m.	
Charlotte at Portland, 10 p.m.	
L.A. Lakers at Utah, 10 p.m.	
Chicago at Golden State, 10:30 p.m.	
<b>WEDNESDAY'S PACERS BOXSCORE at Boston</b>	

<b>CELTICS 135, PACERS 108</b>	
<b>INDIANA (108)</b>	
Bogdanovic 3-9 0-2 7, Young 4-10 2-2 10, Sabonis 6-9 8-8 20, Collison 3-7 0-0 7, Oladipo 6-13 2-6 17, McDermott 1-5 1-1 4, Leaf 3-4 2-5 8, Johnson 0-2 1-2 1, O'Quinn 5-7 0-0 11, Holiday 0-2 4-4 4, Joseph 2-6 0-0 4, Sumner 0-1 0-0 0, Evans 6-16 1-3 15. <b>Totals 39-91 21-33 108.</b>	
<b>BOSTON (135)</b>	
Tatum 9-15 0-0 20, Morris 6-8 7-7 22, Horford 3-6 0-0 6, Irving 5-9 1-1 12, Smart 1-3 0-0 2, Hayward 5-7 2-3 14, Ojele 1-5 0-0 2, Brown 7-12 6-8 22, Theis 4-7 4-4 12, Yabusele 1-3 0-0 2, Williams III 3-3 0-0 6, Wanamaker 1-2 0-0 3, Rozier 4-8 1-1 12. <b>Totals 50-88 21-24 135.</b>	
<b>INDIANA 23 30 27 28 — 108</b>	
<b>BOSTON 29 39 37 30 — 135</b>	
<b>3-Point Goals</b> —Indiana 9-28 (Oladipo 3-7, Evans 2-6, O'Quinn 1-1, McDermott 1-2, Collison 1-3, Bogdanovic 1-4, Holiday 0-1, Leaf 0-1, Sumner 0-1, Joseph 0-2), Boston 14-32 (Morris 3-3, Rozier 3-5, Hayward 2-2, Tatum 2-5, Brown 2-5, Wanamaker 1-2, Irving 1-2, Yabusele 0-1, Theis 0-2, Smart 0-2, Ojeleye 0-3). <b>Fouled Out</b> —None. <b>Rebounds</b> —Indiana 39 (Young 8), Boston 48 (Morris 8). <b>Assists</b> —Indiana 26 (Evans, Sabonis 5), Boston 32 (Horford 8). <b>Total Fouls</b> —Indiana 18, Boston 25. <b>Technical</b> s—Bogdanovic, Young, Indiana coach Nate McMillan, Boston coach Celtics (Defensive three second), Williams III. <b>A—18,624 (18,624).</b>	

<b>NBA G LEAGUE</b>	
<b>Standings</b>	
<b>EASTERN CONFERENCE</b>	
<b>Atlantic Division</b>	
<b>W</b>	<b>L PCT GB</b>
Long Island 16	6 .727 —
Westchester 16	9 .640 1½
Raptors 14	10 .583 3
Delaware 10	13 .435 6½
Maine 8	15 .348 8½
<b>Central Division</b>	
<b>W</b>	<b>L Pct GB</b>
Fort Wayne 12	11 .522 —
Windy City 13	12 .520 —
Grand Rapids 9	13 .409 2½
Canton 8	14 .364 3½
Wisconsin 4	19 .174 8
<b>Southeast Division</b>	
<b>W</b>	<b>L Pct GB</b>
Capital City 12	9 .571 —
Lakeland 12	10 .545 ½
Erie 11	11 .500 1½
Greensboro 11	12 .478 2
<b>WESTERN CONFERENCE</b>	
<b>Midwest Division</b>	
<b>W</b>	<b>L Pct GB</b>
Oklahoma City 19	6 .760 —
Sioux Falls 17	9 .654 2½
Memphis 14	10 .583 4½
Iowa 9	16 .360 10
<b>Pacific Division</b>	
<b>W</b>	<b>L Pct GB</b>
Santa Cruz 17	6 .739 —
Stockton 12	9 .571 4
Agua Caliente 12	10 .545 4½
South Bay 10	14 .417 7½
Northern Arizona 3	23 .115 15½
<b>Southwest Division</b>	
<b>W</b>	<b>L Pct GB</b>
Rio Grande Valley 14	9 .609 —
Salt Lake City 12	10 .545 1½
Austin 12	12 .500 2½
Texas 8	17 .320 7
<b>Wednesday's Games</b>	
Delaware 101, Lakeland 96	
Iowa 116, Canton 101	
Wisconsin 106, Northern Arizona 103	
<b>Thursday's Games</b>	
Capital City at Greensboro, 7 p.m.	
Long Island at Maine, 7 p.m.	
Northern Arizona at Grand Rapids, 7 p.m.	
Santa Cruz at Austin, 8:30 p.m.	
Oklahoma City at Salt Lake City, 9 p.m.	
<b>Friday's Games</b>	
Erie at Fort Wayne, 7 p.m.	
Texas at Lakeland, 7 p.m.	
Agua Caliente at Memphis, 8 p.m.	
Westchester at Rio Grande Valley, 8 p.m.	
Wisconsin at Windy City, 8 p.m.	
Sioux Falls at Stockton, 10 p.m.	
<b>MEN'S COLLEGE BASKETBALL</b>	
<b>WEDNESDAY'S MEN'S GAMES</b>	
<b>EAST</b>	
American U. 71, Navy 63	
Army 86, Boston U. 82	
Bucknell 84, Colgate 81	
Cornell 86, Towson 74	
Dayton 72, George Washington 66	
Duquesne 66, Fordham 61	
Hartford 66, UMBG 64, OT	
Lafayette 85, Loyola (Md.) 70	
Lehigh 99, Holy Cross 94, OT	
New Hampshire 68, Mass.-Lowell 64	
Pittsburgh 89, Louisville 86, OT	
Rutgers 64, Ohio St. 61	
Seton Hall 76, Butler 75	
St. Bonaventure 73, Saint Joseph's 47	
Stony Brook 59, Binghamton 46	
Syracuse 61, Clemson 53	
Temple 73, Houston 69	
Vermont 73, Maine 49	
Virginia 83, Boston College 56	
<b>SOUTH</b>	
Abilene Christian 73, McNeese St. 72	
Davidson 61, George Mason 56	
Florida St. 68, Miami 62	
Georgia 82, Vanderbilt 63	
Jacksonville 90, Kennesaw St. 70	
Liberty 71, Stetson 53	
Lipscomb 81, North Florida 66	
Mississippi 82, Auburn 67	

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<b>THURSDAY'S MEN'S GAMES</b>	
<b>EAST</b>	
CCSU at Fairleigh Dickinson, 7 p.m.	
Sacred Heart at Wagner, 7 p.m.	
Bryant at Mount St. Mary's, 7 p.m.	
Monmouth (NJ) at Quinnipiac, 7 p.m.	
St. Francis (Pa.) at LIU Brooklyn, 7 p.m.	
St. Peter's at Fairfield, 7 p.m.	
SMU at UConn, 7 p.m.	
Robert Morris at St. Francis Brooklyn, 9 p.m.	

<b>SOUTH</b>	
Louisiana-Lafayette at Georgia St., 7 p.m.	
W. Carolina at Mercer, 7 p.m.	
Northeastern at Elon, 7 p.m.	
ETSU at The Citadel, 7 p.m.	
Charleston Southern at Hampton, 7 p.m.	
Texas-Arlington at Appalachian St., 7 p.m.	
Furman at VMI, 7 p.m.	
Texas State at Coastal Carolina, 7 p.m.	
Presbyterian at High Point, 7 p.m.	
Radford at SC-Upstate, 7 p.m.	
Old Dominion at FAU, 7 p.m.	
Wofford at UNC-Greensboro, 7 p.m.	
Delaware at UNC-Wilmington, 7 p.m.	
Winthrop at Campbell, 7 p.m.	
Drexel at Coll. of Charleston, 7 p.m.	
Louisiana-Monroe at Georgia Southern, 7 p.m.	
Charlotte at FIU, 7 p.m.	
Hofstra at William & Mary, 7 p.m.	
UNC-Asheville at Longwood, 7 p.m.	
UAB at Louisiana Tech, 7:30 p.m.	
Morehead St. at Belmont, 7:30 p.m.	
Middle Tennessee at Southern Miss., 8 p.m.	
E. Illinois at Jacksonville St., 8:15 p.m.	
SIU-Edwardsville at Tennessee Tech, 8:30 p.m.	
Murray St. at UT Martin, 8:30 p.m.	
E. Kentucky at Tennessee St., 8:30 p.m.	
East Carolina at Memphis, 9 p.m.	
<b>MIDWEST</b>	
Green Bay at Detroit, 7 p.m.	
Milwaukee at Oakland, 7 p.m.	
Cleveland St. at IUPUI, 7 p.m.	
Oral Roberts at Purdue Fort Wayne, 7 p.m.	
California Baptist at UMKC, 7 p.m.	
Youngstown St. at Ill.-Chicago, 8 p.m.	
W. Illinois at N. Dakota St., 8 p.m.	
Nebraska-Omaha at North Dakota, 8 p.m.	
CS Bakersfield at Rio Grande, 8 p.m.	
Denver at S. Dakota St., 8 p.m.	
Michigan at Illinois, 8 p.m.	
Austin Peay at SE Missouri, 8:45 p.m.	
Penn St. at Nebraska, 9 p.m.	
<b>SOUTHWEST</b>	
Cincinnati at Tulsa, 7 p.m.	
Troy at UALR, 7:30 p.m.	
South Alabama at Arkansas St., 8 p.m.	
Rice at UTSA, 8 p.m.	
North Texas at UTEP, 9 p.m.	
<b>FAR WEST</b>	
Cal St.-Fullerton at Hawaii, 12 a.m.	
Washington St. at Colorado, 9 p.m.	
UCLA at Oregon, 9 p.m.	
Grand Canyon at New Mexico St., 9 p.m.	
Portland at BYU, 9 p.m.	
Montana at E. Washington, 9:05 p.m.	
Washington at Utah, 10 p.m.	
Montana St. at Idaho, 10 p.m.	
UC Davis at UC Irvine, 10 p.m.	
Pacific at Gonzaga, 11 p.m.	
Southern Cal at Oregon St., 11 p.m.	
Pepperdine at Santa Clara, 11 p.m.	

<b>FRIDAY'S MEN'S GAMES</b>	
<b>EAST</b>	
Siena at Marist, 7 p.m.	
Rider at Canisius, 7 p.m.	
Iona at Niagara, 7 p.m.	
<b>SOUTH</b>	
Indiana at Maryland, 7 p.m.	
Wright St. at Northern Kentucky, 7 p.m.	
<b>MIDWEST</b>	
Purdue at Wisconsin, 9 p.m.	

HOCKEY

<b>NATIONAL HOCKEY LEAGUE</b>	
<b>Standings</b>	
<b>EASTERN CONFERENCE</b>	
<b>Atlantic Division</b>	
<b>GP</b>	<b>W L OT Pts GF GA</b>
Tampa Bay 43	33 8 2 68 180 124
Toronto 42	27 13 2 56 152 117
Boston 43	25 14 4 54 126 110
Buffalo 43	23 14 6 52 125 121
Montreal 44	23 16 5 51 134 135
Florida 41	17 17 7 41 131 147

Detroit 45	16 22 7 39 126 154
Ottawa 44	16 23 5 37 138 173
<b>Metropolitan Division</b>	
<b>GP</b>	<b>W L OT Pts GF GA</b>
Washington 42	26 12 4 56 149 124
Pittsburgh 43	24 13 6 54 152 123
Columbus 42	24 15 3 51 135 130
N.Y. Islanders 41	23 14 4 50 124 111
Carolina 42	20 17 5 45 112 121
N.Y. Rangers 42	17 18 7 41 116 145
New Jersey 42	16 19 7 39 123 142
Philadelphia 43	15 22 6 36 119 156
<b>WESTERN CONFERENCE</b>	
<b>Central Division</b>	
<b>GP</b>	<b>W L OT Pts GF GA</b>
Nashville 45	27 15 3 57 139 112
Winnipeg 42	27 13 2 56 146 120
Dallas 44	23 17 4 50 119 117
Colorado 44	20 16 8 48 151 141
Minnesota 42	21 18 3 45 119 118
Chicago 46	16 22 8 40 134 167
St. Louis 41	17 20 4 38 114 132

<b>Pacific Division</b>	
<b>GP</b>	<b>W L OT Pts GF GA</b>
Calgary 45	28 13 4 60 162 129
Vegas 46	27 15 4 58 140 121
San Jose 45	25 13 7 57 160 138
Anaheim 44	19 17 8 46 105 129
Vancouver 45	20 21 4 48 108 143
Edmonton 43	20 20 3 43 120 138
Arizona 42	18 21 3 39 108 118
Los Angeles 44	17 24 3 37 99 130
<b>NOTE:</b> 2 points win, 1 point OT loss. Top 3 teams each division and 2 wild cards per conference advance to playoffs.	
<b>Wednesday's Games</b>	
Nashville 4, Chicago 3, OT	
Calgary 5, Colorado 3	
Ottawa 2, Anaheim 1, OT	
<b>Thursday's Games</b>	
Nashville at Columbus, 7 p.m.	
N.Y. Islanders at N.Y. Rangers, 7 p.m.	
Washington at Boston, 7 p.m.	
Toronto at New Jersey, 7 p.m.	
Dallas at Philadelphia, 7 p.m.	
Carolina at Tampa Bay, 7:30 p.m.	
Montreal at St. Louis, 8 p.m.	
Winnipeg at Minnesota, 8 p.m.	
Florida at Edmonton, 9 p.m.	
Arizona at Vancouver, 10 p.m.	
San Jose at Vegas, 10 p.m.	
Atlanta at Los Angeles, 10:30 p.m.	
<b>Friday's Games</b>	
Buffalo at Carolina, 7:30 p.m.	
Detroit at Winnipeg, 8 p.m.	
Florida at Calgary, 9 p.m.	
Pittsburgh at Anaheim, 10 p.m.	

Friday's Games

Buffalo at Carolina, 7:30 p.m.

Detroit at Winnipeg, 8 p.m.

Florida at Calgary, 9 p.m.

Pittsburgh at Anaheim, 10 p.m.

EAST COAST HOCKEY LEAGUE

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North Division

GP W L OL SLPts GF GA

Newfoundland 35 23 11 1 0 47 132 100

Adirondack 35 20 10 3 2 45 109 98

Reading 34 17 9 3 5 42 111 107

Maine 35 19 15 0 1 39 112 114

Manchester 35 17 16 1 1 36 115 111

Brampton 35 15 17 2 1 33 112 113

Worcester 35 14 16 3 2 33 79 101

South Division

GP W L OL SLPts GF GA

Florida 36 24 7 5 0 53 138 91

South Carolina 35 20 14 1 0 41 112 107

Jacksonville 34 19 14 1 0 39 102 96

Orlando 35 17 15 3 0 37 114 124

Norfolk 37 15 18 2 2 34 110 146

Greenville 39 14 20 3 2 33 106 142

Atlanta 33 8 19 5 1 22 84 112

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